

UTAH BOARD OF OIL, GAS AND MINING EARTH DAY AWARDS

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

The Board of Oil, Gas and Mining is now accepting nominations for 2005 Earth Day Awards. Earth Day Awards recognize reclamation projects and innovations in environmental technology that go beyond what is required by regulation. It is an opportunity for companies to demonstrate technical expertise and pride in their industry, and concern not only for the economics of their industry but also for our environment.

Awards may be presented in each of three operation types:

- Oil and Gas
- Minerals Mining
- Coal Mining

Award categories:

- Environmental improvement to an active mine site, exploration site, or producing field.
- Outstanding results following applications of innovative environmental technology.
- Outstanding final reclamation or site restoration.

Criteria may include but are not limited to:

- Stabilization and grading
- Revegetation
- Water quality improvement
- Wildlife habitat improvement
- Exceptional reclamation/restoration without obligation
- Outstanding results from implementing environmental technologies

***Enclosed are 2005 Earth Day nomination form and instructions ... be
recognized for the good job you do!***